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NOTICE.

CITY OF TOPERA.

To whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given that we the undersigned residents and tree collects of the city of Topesh, W. T. Miner, John L. Beverly and Williams of exh. W. T. Miner, down L. Beverry and Wiliam Finch, were duty appointed by this major
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to y quantiles as appendent to accertain the accas varies of the final proposed to be taken unter ordinance. No. 1741, approved August 15,
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and established by said ordinance which is decribed as follows, towed:

Beganing at the northwest corner of S. John street and Jackson screet; thence west along the north line of St. John street to the east line of Fo. John street to the east line of Fo.k street to the city limits of the city of Topeka thence on the northern limits of the city of Topeka to soon or creak. If accessers to the could bank of Science creak to the west line of Jackson street to the make it soon to creak. If accessers to the west line of Jackson street to the parce of burnang.

And also to make a true valuation and appraisement of all the lots and poors of gloom is structed in said benefit district without regard to the buildings or improve cents thereon.

And notice is hereby further given that we will meet as such appraisers on the also day of October, 1881, at 10 of clock a in, of said day at the northwest corner of St. John and Jackson streets, city of Topeka, in said benefit distreet, for the purpose of a steriaming the count value and making appraisement of the property, and assessing the damages and benefit as a toresaid.

W. I. Millier,
W. J. Esvenity,

FO WHOM IT MAY CONCLUN -He is known that my petition is oft file in the probate court acking for a permit to sell intoxication inquots at No. 138 Kansas avonce, in the second ward of the city of lopeka. Hearing for the same is set for November 21, 1894, it 2 a. in.

TOPEKA. Kan., Oct. 15, 1896.

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Mr. & Mrs. J. H. Wetherell, Masonle Bullding, 623 Jackson Street.

The statement that Miss Philippa Fawcett, the "lady senior wrangler," is about to begin a business career as a civil engineer is said to be unfounded. husband is dead. She has no present intention of leaving Newnham college.

An entire block of houses in New York was papered by a young woman, who takes the contract for such work from our largest builders. - New York

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VINEWOOD & HIGHLAND PARK E. E. Bleated. And he called me doctor. Trains will leave Quiney Street station week All this 10088 face a low it up?" Trains win leave Vinewood for Quincy street at 7:57, 1:02, 1:19, 6:50, SUNDAY TRAINS,

Leave Quiney street 9:19, 10:38, 11:51, 1:30. "Go slow, my boy. Remember his 12:4.5-11, 7:30, 8:40, 9:30. Leave Vinewood 9:30, 11:18, 12:33, 2:30, 3:47. warning about walls having ears and

"I never heard such a girl for preaching punctualist," said Maud. It's a positive manla with her," replied Mamie. "Yesterday she had the clocks taken out of her stockings because some one told her they were fast."-Life.

An Unpardonable Offense, The Circus Manager-You're fired, do

you hear! The Clown-Kh? What for? The Circus Manager-During this afternoon's performance you made a new joke! Now get out .- Chicago Record.

In Doubt. Sympathizes (weeping)—Yes, he has left for parts unknown.—New York

He Goes Alone.

"Oh, yes. He has quit inviting me to felt like a key.
go fishing with him."—Life. On sitting do



ated as a student, from the Long Island med al col-lege, in Brooklyn, and as I needed some recreation after my long course of study in that institution, I determined to take a

trip across the Western plains, my altimate destination being San Franfo a bosom friend, Geoffrey Dennin,

traveling companion. About three weeks later, after var-

about 130 miles west of Denver. We had just registered at the chief "hotel" of which the place boasteda rude two-story frame structure, and were at once keenly eyed by the Dennin, who was between me and loungers and guests, who evidently

considered us very stupid specimens of the "tenderfoot" variety. The most important servant of the St. Joe Express. 108 5:45 am 7:33 am 8:30 am house was a stalwart, full-bearded Express. 106 4:30 pm 6:35 pm 7:35 pm man of thirty-five, whose garb denoted him to be a miner, and whom

everybody addressed as "Ike." It was just dark when we signified our intention to visit the apartment assigned to us, and Ike was deputed to escort us thith

Ascending a dark flight of stairs. he led us into a passage, at the end of which was our room, a mediumsized, earpetless apartment, containing two small cots, a couple of a little round table, upon which he glassy eyes. placed the candle, saying to me, in a

and had begun to get pretty skeery No. Arrive Leave Eggsas Everything's all right, so far; there's Topeka. Topeka City. no suspicion. "You've got what you when we found you didn't show up. Scalid Limited Vestibule Express A 2 3:55 pm 4:00 pm 6:15 pm best to our valises—"and you'll not set to work till the house's all quiet, for walls have ears. Pete'll close up to night extra early in order to give 4 5:35 am 5:40 am 9:25 am more time to do the job. You'll find ir there," he concluded indicating with a jerk of his thumb a side door in the room, and at the same time backing suddenly to the entrance with an expression of fear in his ugly face, while his owlish eyes kept constantly winking.

Utterly amazed, I tried to speak, tried to find voice to ask him what he was driving at. Inleed, Dennin's tongue seemed tied too, and the fellow had already backed out of the Change of Time. In Effect October 7, 1894, room, and shut the door quickly, and we heard him go bounding down the dark stairs as if a ghost was after him, before either of us could open our mouths to articulate a sound.

"Well," sail f, finally, turning to Dennin, who appeared to be coming out of a stuper, "What do you make out of this experience?"

"I make out of it," he replied, with an effort, "that we are in for some strange adventure. What did he mean by it? 'Setting to work'--'doing the job'-to say nothing of what else he said."

"Evidently we shall find that out by



A MURDERED WOMAN.

opening that side door which he in-All this looks like a real mystery, "I'm with you." sail Dennin, start-

ing toward the side door. I caught him by the arm.

Extra Sunday trains will be run according not going to work till the house was to company orders.

Let's wait and ask no questions, lest we betray ourselves. The more I think of it the more I am convinced that he has in some unaccountable way mistaken us for other people. Who? What sort? Of course I cannot conjecture. But certain it is, we are not supposed to be here for any good purpose. Didn't you notice how frightened he looked when he spoke of it?"

"Yes," said Dennin, "and that leads me to believe we are on the point of making some important discovery-1 cannot imagine what-but which will bring that villain, and perhaps the landlord himself, into trouble." Having delivered himself of this

Sympathizer-My dear, I hear that your | sage conclusion. Dennin washed himself, and after I had done likewise we went below to see about supper. Ike was not visible, and the landlord, who was waiting on some new customers, directed us to the dining-"Have you seen any change in Waters room, slyly handing me, as he did so, something wrapped in paper, which

On sitting down to supper I opened

the paper, and, sure enough, I found t contained a door key, while on the paper were scrawled several lines, which I made out to read as follows;

"This Key fits the Dore between the rooms-don't kum to the Bar agin to-n te, and luk out for people in Room on tother side of Partition you will find Bags in Closet in Room." After supper we went directly to our room, taking with us a large lamp tell her the other night he wheled the which had been lighted for our use. It was then eleven o'clock.

Through the partition on the right, opposite the door opening into the other room, we heard voices, and listened. It was some miners, judging by their talk, discussing business matters Soon after we heard them go out;

the house became as still as death.

Then, with a strange feeling creeping over me, I bade Dennin take up the lamp, and, going on tiptoe to the pective pleasure of such a trip, and he side door, I unlocked it very carefully, so as not to make the slightest noise, and slowly opened it. We entered. There was no carpet on

ions unimportant experiences. Dennin the floor, and no furniture save a long and I found ourselves in a small min- deal table in the middle of the room. ing town which I shall call Lathrop. To the right, in the farther corner was a cot, with a blanket thrown over it; to the left a closet. "Well," I was on the point of saying. "I see no mystery in this," when

> the farther corner, holding the lamp suddenly started back and clutched my arm. Heavens, Joe!" he said in a hoarse whisper, "there's something covered

up on the cot!" The hand with which he held the lamp shook so that, fe aring he would drop it, I took it from him, and, in and a blaze in her eye as also came later a breathless suspense, we went on tip-

toe to the cot. Yes; there was certainly something under the blanket. Something that looked like the top of a human head

peeped out I pulled down the blanket a little. and a ghastly face, framed by long, disapidated chairs, a wash-stand and brown hair, stared up at us with operator, with keen politeness and a faint

Horrified, 1 recolled and set the through Fast s 9:00 pm 11:10 pm 11:20 pm low, mysterious tone, his impudent lamp upon the table, while Dennin staggered back against the wall, murmuring: "For God's sake, Joe, what does

> this mean?" "It means," I replied, mastering my emotion, "it means that we stand face to face with the victim of a crime

-s murdered woman! Choked to centa! "Choked!" gasped Dennin. "How the blanks, and in the course of time re-

do you know that?" "It is very evident," I made answer, approaching the cot again. "See for yourself," and I showed Dennin, at the throat, several dark marks, like the imprints of fingers'

"Cover it up again, Joe. The sight ts too horrible! mouned Dennin. "We cents" must not disturb it-it must be left just as we found it," and seizing the tried to suppress her feelings. blanket with a shudder he pulled it over the staring face.

continued. "Our first step is undoubt- band a piece of her mind in ten words, edly to go and lodge a complaint and without waiting to hear anything more against this Ike and Pete Burroughs, the landlord. We must do so at once." "Not so fast, my boy. Do you im-

agine we would be allowed to leave this house by stealth at this hour? No, indeed, we are supposed to be---" "What?" asked Dennin, impatiently, as I paused.

"Cutting the body up, of course, so that they can conveniently dispose of lawyer. it-bury the pieces separately, no doubt? Isn't the matter clear to you now? Some one, for a round sum of money, has agreed to furnish them a who would do the job for them.

Don't you remember that like said to with a reminiscent look in his eyes, 'you me, when he cautioned me in the are far better provided with recomme other room, We looked for you two days ago, doctor?' And what he me at by You've got what you need in them things,' pointing to our me into the great metropolis."
walises, where were the surgical instruments neces sary for the operation." I, opening the valise, took out two

Dennin, sald, in a whisper: "Take this revolver and keep your wits about you. Certain it is that we have done the job. Whoever comes, we must be prepared for him.

It's a matter of life or death with us." It was draw ing near to 3 in the morning when I heard soft footsteps in the pass age, approaching the door, and presently there came a light knock. I motioned to Dennin, and when I ope ned the door, in walked way, "let us toss up for it."

Ike and Pete, the landlord, but to "Thank you," said the dog politely, "I never gamble." And he walked away. find themselves confronted suddenly with two revolvers aimed straight at their breasts. At the same time I cried out:

"Hands up!" "Don't shoot!" the two worthies language. She had made very good prog stammered, simultaneously throwing ress, she thought, and one day accepted an up the ir hands, "No harm was meant!" "W hat! No harm, you villains! It was a cold blooded murder!" I said. vehemently.

ng fur lously, while from every part lonof the house seemed to come an explesion of shouts, and into the room rushed a score of miners.

"The fact is, pard," said Ike, sughard on you and your friend. But in my muff. that's the initiation we generally give to all new tenderfeet-a pretty good your multi-La Peni Cambresien. skeer, that's all. And really, in the fust place, it was intended for two tenderfoot friends of our'n we espected two days ago. But when they didn't come, and we seen youse comin up the street, so innocent-like, we couldn't resist the temptation to play but I wants a man all one color."-Atthe joke off on you," and with several lanta Constitution. rapid winks, like walked to the door of the adjoining room , one of the miners following him with the lamp, and unlocking it with another key. threw it open, walked to the cot, and. I never could spell myself. I suppose he amid a roar of laughter, jerke d out came honestly by it - Detroit Tribuna. from under the blanket, by the bair, i the war head of a woman-

The Little Stater's Revelation.

A Pennsylvania street car was going when, during a full in the general conver-sation, a little private talk between two wee misses of 8 years was beard. Said one, "Your sister paints her face awfully, don't she?"

"No, she don't," replied the other. "She just powders her fece."

would paint and not powder houself, as the powder rube off on his clothes and face. and paint won't. "-Indianapolis Journal

They Wouldn't Be There.



"Wha fo' yo' drive yo chickens down dis en' of de town fot, bem! Well, palson, yo' ser Jeft Johnson he golo to gib a party tonight, but my chickens not goin to 'tend.' - Truth.

The State of Her Mind. There were little red strenks in her face. country telegraph office not a thousand miles from Detroit.

"I want to telegraph to my husband she kald, with a snap of her large and shapely jaw. "Yes, madam," responded the operator.

handing her some blanks.
"How much will it but" she impured. "I don't know, madam," replied the

"Don't know?" she exclaimed. "What are you here for?" "To tell people what I know, madain, and to send and receive messages "Well, why don't you know how much a telegram will cost?"

Because, madum, I don't know where

anapped. "It is to go to Detroit."
"Thank you, madein. It will be 25 She made no further remarks, but took

it is to be sent."

written matter.
"There?" she said, laying a quarter down with the message. "Send that."
"But, madam," explained the operator, "It is 25 cents for ten words." "What!" she ejeculated.

turned with about ten pages of closely

"You can only send ten words for wh She looked him square in the face as she "Are you a married mun!" she asked "'Yes, madam."

"Well, you must be an idiot if you don't "And now what's to be done?" he know that a woman can't give her hosfrom him she flouted herself out of the of fice, taking her message with her -Detroit Free Press.

Mr. Choate's One Letter.

Joseph H. Choate is a man of imposing mien and authoritative discourse. Some years ago a young kinsman of Mr. Choate arrived in New York armed with n letter of introduction to the eminent

After reading the letter Mr. Choate turned to the young man and said: "Well, sir, what other letters have you?" The young man named a half dores men of more or less standing to whom he

tions than I was when I came to Name York at your age to seek my fortune!"
"Yes?" said the young man inquiringly. "Yes. I had only one letter to introduce "May I ask from whom is was"

queried the young relative difficiently. From Rufus Choate to William M loaded revolvers, and going up to Evarts," answered Mr. Choute.-New York Herald.

Declined With Thanks. A dog on a warm summer day lay down either Ike or the landlord will be in the shade and soon fell asleep. He was here before daylight to see whether awakened by the noise of a buge built approaching his shady resting place. "Ges up," said the bull, "and let me lis down-

> "No," replied the dog: "You have no right to the place. I was here first." Well, "said the bull, looking impocent ly at the dog, but with a ferceious twinkle in his left eye, which made the dog's spical column zun cold and his lower jaw give

Exchange.

No Experiments. A French lady, staying in America for some time, was wrestling with the Prigitals invitation to dine.

As the dinner went on she was offered a dish that was new to her. Not fancying its appearance, she declined it, saying "Ah! Thanks! No, monateur. I say Ike burst out laughing, winking only acquaintences!"-Youth's Compan

Gallant at Apy Price. Gent-Mademoisello, may I offer you my arm?

Young Lady-Much obliged, but it pressing his mirth, "we've been pressy too cold, and I prefer accepting my hands Gent (promptly)-May I, then, corre

> No Frenkles For lier. Judge Ragsdale tells of a Clarkston youth who wanted to marry. He was awfully freckled and homely, but he said he

axed Sal, and she said:

Meterusting.

Well, John, I wants to marry, I know,

Friend-Your son has become a great dislect poet. Parent-Well, he ain't entirely to blame